

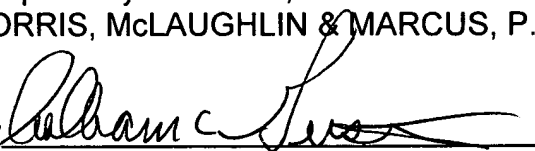
REMARKS

This preliminary amendment is being filed to correct typographical/translation errors in the specification, to provide headings and an abstract; and to conform the claims to conventional format.

Favorable action is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,
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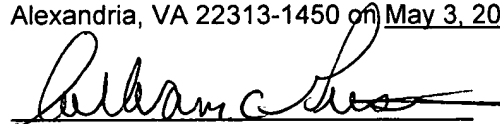
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